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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed May 18, 2006, please enter the following comments regarding the application identified above as follows:

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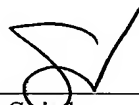
REMARKS

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed May 18, 2006, Applicant makes the following Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance presented by the Examiner in the Office Action of May 18, 2006, at 2, lines 5-15. The Examiner's Reasons for Allowance utilizes language that deviates from that used in the allowed claims 1-5. Therefore, to the extent that the Examiner's Reasons for Allowance mischaracterize the allowed claims 1-5, Applicant objects. Nonetheless, Applicants agree that the claimed invention would not have been obvious at the time the invention was made, and that no prima facie showing of anticipation or obviousness could be made in view of the prior art of record.

Questions are welcomed by the below-signed attorney for applicants.

Respectfully submitted,

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